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Letter to the Examiner

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Sir:

For purposes of coordination of examination, Applicants wish to bring to the Examiner's attention the fact that applications are currently undergoing examination that have related subject matter. One application is U.S. Application No. 10/593,536 (Attorney Docket No. PU040098) entitled "Complexity Scalable Video Encoding", which has claims generally directed to the encoding method and apparatus. Another application is U.S. Application No. 10/593,915 (Attorney Docket No. PU050005) entitled "Method And Apparatus For Complexity Scalable Video Decoder", which has claims generally directed to the decoding method and apparatus. Both are assigned to Examiner Mehrdad Dastouri in Art Unit 2621.

Respectfully submitted,

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